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21.30 p.m.

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T. JACKSON,  
Hon. Treasurer.

Hongkong, 20th December, 1898.

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CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION  
No. 88.

NOTICE is hereby given that MONDAY  
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OFFICES.

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H. M. HILLIER,  
Commissioner of Customs  
for Kowloon and District.  
Custom House, Kowloon, 21st December, 1898.

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THEATRE ROYAL,

CITY HALL.

## THE HONGKONG AMATEUR DRAMATIC CLUB.

will produce a Pantomime entitled  
"THE YELLOW DWARF,"

or  
"HARLEQUIN THE KNave OF HEARTS,"

and the  
FAIR PRINCES."

On the following dates—

THURSDAY, 5th January, 1899.

SATURDAY, 7th

WEDNESDAY, 11th

SATURDAY, 13th

The Ticket Office at the Theatre will be  
open from 10 A.M. to 1 P.M. and Seats can be Booked from 10  
A.M. to 1 P.M. every day, Sundays and General  
Holidays excepted.

E. W. MITCHELL,  
Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, 12th December, 1898.

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THE HONGKONG HIGH-LEVEL  
TRAMWAYS CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the FOUR-  
TEENTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEET-  
ING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the above  
Company will be held at the Registered  
Office of the Company, No. 1, Queen's  
Road Central, on FRIDAY, the 23rd day of  
December, 1898, for the purpose of receiv-  
ing the Report of the General Managers to-  
gether with a Statement of Accounts for the  
year ending 30th November, 1898.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company  
will be CLOSED from the 12th to 20th inst.,  
both days inclusive.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,  
General Managers.

Hongkong, 9th December, 1898.

[2830]

THE GREAT EASTERN AND CALE-  
DONIAN GOLD MINING COM-  
PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the SECOND  
ORDINARY GENERAL MEET-  
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Company will be held at the Registered  
Office of the Company, No. 1, Queen's  
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ber, at Noon, at their Saloon Rooms, 1st House  
Street, SUNDAY ENGLISH STORES,  
Comprising—

CORNED BEEF, BEEF IN SOUP,  
ESSENCE OF BEEF, PINEAPPLE JAD-  
DOUGH, BLOATER PASTE, LOBSTER,  
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SALMON, SARDINES, VINEGAR, LIME  
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BISCUITS, BUTTER, TOBACCO,  
CHEESE, &c., &c.

Times—As usual.

HUGHES & HOUGH,  
Antique Dealers.

Hongkong, 22nd December, 1898.

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AUCTION.

THE Directors have received instructions  
to sell by

PUBLIC AUCTION,  
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DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,  
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FOR SWATOW, AMoy, and  
TAIWANFOO.

THE Company's Chartered Steamship

"NANYANG"

Captain Lehmann, will be despatched for the  
above ports TO-MORROW, the 23rd inst., at  
DAILIGHT.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & CO.,  
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Hongkong, 21st December, 1898.

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VICTORIA LODGE

OF HONGKONG, NO. 1026.

A REGULAR MEETING of the VIC-

TORIA LODGE will be held at the  
FREEMASONS' HALL TO-NIGHT (THURS-  
DAY), the 22nd Inst., at 8.30 for 8 P.M.

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KOWLOON EXTENSION

JUST RECEIVED.

A NEW MAP of HONGKONG, KOW-

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TORIES showing the Boundary Lines  
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IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that the  
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DOLLARS or YENS into China, or  
BRITISH NORTH BORNEO or from  
the 20th November, 1898 is PROHIBITED.

GIRDET, DALRYMPLE & CO.

Agents

Government of British North Borneo.

Hongkong, 24th November, 1898.

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THE HONGKONG HIGH-LEVEL TRAM-  
WAYS CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the POUR-  
TAXES of the HONGKONG HIGH-LEVEL  
TRAMWAYS CO., LIMITED will be COLLECTED from the 12th to 20th inst.,  
both days inclusive.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,  
General Managers.

Hongkong, 9th December, 1898.

[2830]

# INTIMATION EYE-SIGHT.

Mr. N. LAZARUS,  
Optician, of London and Calcutta, may  
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A great proportion of outbreaks and diseases affecting those advancing in life occur to those having some deficiency in the construction of the eyes.—the many years of "Eye Strain" ending in serious forms of disease. Glasses specially adapted in youth to those requiring them have given the best results.

Constantly recurring headache, spells of dimness (visual reading), weak eyes, the letters running together; any of these symptoms indicate a deficiency in the form of the eye requiring Glasses only to correct and cure.

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THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

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Hongkong, December 22nd 1898.

A meeting of the Sanitary Board will be held at 4.15 this afternoon.

Mr. Pritchard Morgan, M.P., was present at the annual installation meeting and dinner of the Royal Sussex Lodge, Shanghai.

The Shanghai Amateur Dramatic Club gave a very successful performance of H. C. Stoker's comedy "The Passport" on the 14th December.

Tuesday a Chinaman employed at the Cosmopolitan Dock left off a stack some ten feet high and sustained internal injuries which caused his death.

The attorney Tung Mori, formerly the P. & O. steamer Zambezi, has been sold to a Chinese syndicate at Yokohama for £3,000 per ton. She was last at Glasgow in 173.

Yesterday morning a boy in the employ of Inspector Lin of the Sanitary Department was swooning the roof of a shop attached to his master's house in Peel street; when he slipped and fell a distance of about 30 feet on to a stone stool, seriously injuring his thigh.

This afternoon on the Happy Valley the Hongkong Football Club will play the wives of the Foreign Ministers. She evinced towards them great cordiality, offered them a banquet and a theatrical representation, and presents of rings. H. M. the Emperor was present.

LORD CHARLES DERNFORD.

Lord Charles Dernford arrived at Shanghai from his Yacht trip on the 15th December, and is continuing his Lordship and several leading British residents at a villa in the Bureau of Foreign Affairs on the Bunding Well Road. The China Gazette says—Lord Charles Dernford, C.B., will leave on Sunday, 12th December, for Hongkong via Macao, and will stay for a day or two in the noblest hotel, probably placing at the results of his tour up the Yangtze. The two great sailing racing which began he has succeeded in fully impressing with his ideas as to the only manner in which China has any chance of being preserved, namely, by the creation of well-trained armies, trained and commanded by foreign officers. Before any such measure can be taken, however, it will be necessary to obtain the approval of Peking and here comes the "will." Will Peking allow Lin Kuan-yih and Chang Chinkang to set up their forces and obtain the services of the necessary British officers, and if Peking disapproves of the plan will Chang and Lin be so easily minded enough to carry out the orders of their own account, and if so will the British Government be ready to assist them if Peking approves? We must wait and see.

LATEST STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The P. & O. steamer *Potter* left Singapore for this port on the 20th instant.

The P. & O. steamer *Melrose* left Singapore for this port on the 19th instant at 1 p.m.

N. Y. K. steamer *Asia Maru* (Bonny Line) left Moji for this port yesterday, and is expected to arrive on the 25th instant.

For MESSRS. GIBB AND WHALEY, diamond and gold dealers, 11, Queen Street (Australian Line), left Kobe, via Nagasaki, for this port on the 20th instant at noon, and is expected to arrive here on the 27th instant.

A few days ago a missionary family narrowly escaped drowning at Socorro. It appears that they had been dismissed and a couple of days afterwards all the members of the family were taken ill. Medical aid was called, and it was found the whole family had been poisoned with arsenic, the cook having placed the poison in the baking powder. Fortunately the quantity was excessive so that it induced vomiting, which saved the lives of the distressed victims. The Rev. Mr. Hall, who is the pastor of the church where the goods are on view.

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The Rev. G. R. Walling, Chairman of the Soldiers and Sailors Institute, acknowledges with thanks the following donations:

The Ward Room Officers of H. M. S. *Therm*, 2

Some Ward Room Officers of H. M. S. *Brill*, 6

Deputy Inspector General T. Boaler, R.N. 6

Officer of the Royal Torpedo Dragoons, 12

Colonel Errett, P.M.O., China 10

The Reverend Mother of the French Convent requests us to convey her apology to the public for her inability to hold the usual Bazaar this year. Circumstances beyond her control, arising from a combination of topsy-turvy weather and a heavy shower of rain, forced her to postpone the Bazaar without notice. She wishes, however, to invite members of the community to the Convent where the goods are on view.

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